

## **Hazardous Materials Commission Issue Selection Criteria**

- The scope of the problem – how many people affected, are there disproportionate impacts, is it an environmental justice issue?
- Is the issue in the purview of the Commission?
- The likelihood of influencing the issue.
- Is concern for the issue shared by the Board of Supervisors, the general public or the Hazardous Materials program?
- Are other groups already working on the issue?
- Are Commissioners interested in the issue?
- Are there negative or divisive politics surrounding the issue?
- Are there adequate resources to address the issue?
- Is there enough information to develop a position on the issue?